

### Splendid Program Of Films Will Be Shown Next Week

Manager McVey of the Auditorium has garnered a harvest of the best films obtainable from the exchanges for his daily programs next week, and in doing so is keeping his promise to the patrons of the Torrance theater that "Nothing is too good for Torrance."

The class of pictures Mr. McVey has shown in the past has been above criticism.

On Sunday, December 24 Thomas Meighan, in "If You Believe It, It's So," will be the feature. This sterling and popular actor is ever welcome to screen fans, and in this latest picture Meighan, in a story of powerful dramatic power and heart appeal, and supported by a strong cast of players, proves to film patrons that his ability as a screen star has not suffered. It is a story of a crook, a victim and a reformation that will appeal to an audience, and leave a deep impression.

Viola Dana, in a wholesome romance of a hopelessly fickle flapper entitled "The 14th Lover," will be the feature on Tuesday, December 25. Miss Dana tells her audience from the screen just where and why the frivolous flapper is flopping, and points out that the parlor spooner cannot handle a spoon in the kitchen. The story of the play is based on a back-yard kiss which lost a front-yard job. Many hearty laughs are scattered through the picture.

"Love's Masquerade," with Conway Tearle as the star, will be the picture for Wednesday and Thursday, December 26 and 27. This is a film which bares the heart of an unhappy woman. It is based on a story which carries the star through a series of highly dramatic incidents which might easily have been taken from real life in any average community. The picture is well acted and the settings are true to life. This picture should appeal to all because of the lesson it teaches.

And on Thursday and Friday, December 28 and 29 comes "Skin Deep," which will be shown under the auspices of the Torrance Post of the American Legion. This picture is replete with thrills, yet it is to the credit of Thomas H. Ince that at no time in any of the startling incidents shown does he resort to cheap sensationalism in putting it across. A man's face is sometimes not his fortune, and this is proved true in the picture of a man who, although he returned from the war covered with glory for valorous deeds performed and a record to be envied, comes under the suspicion of the police because, as they say, "We knew he was a crook because he looked like one." How a crook looks is hard to describe, but it is safe to say that Bud Doyle, who is portrayed by the inimitable Milton Sills, surely did look like a person who would bear watching. To miss this picture will be to miss a picture with a theme of import to every American. The house should be packed to the roof at each performance.

Then on Saturday, December 30, "America's Sweetheart," Mary Pickford, will present "Pollyanna." How hard it is to describe the sweet simplicity and sterling historic ability of this little lady can be left to the imagination. Many have tried it and most of these have failed. Suffice to say that when Miss Pickford presents a picture the patrons of any theater know that it is good, and in "Pollyanna" she again shows the fans that Little Mary is still the splendid actress she always was. "Pollyanna" will give any who see it a treat and leave a lasting impression.

Then, on Sunday and Monday, December 31 and January 1, comes "Freckles" — Wesley Barry — the speckled trout of the movies, in "Rags to Riches." All film fans know Wesley. Most of us count riches in terms of gold and princely living. To the blind, sight is riches. To the homely woman, beauty is riches. To those in poverty, shelter is riches. To wealthy people, what are riches? You who struggle and grow old in a never-ceasing battle for more possessions and more luxuries—have you ever stopped to think what riches mean? "Freckles" serves to bring home, in a thrilling and marvellously-acted photo-drama, the keynote to success and happiness. If you miss this picture you will not have finished the old year as you should have done, nor will you have started on the journey through the new year as well as could be expected of you.

Taken from every point of view, the coming week's program at the Auditorium is a fitting climax to the splendid efforts of Manager McVey to give to the patrons of the Auditorium all that is good in pictures. May we have many more of such.

#### OLD STORY.



What did your Mother say when I didn't come home until late last night? She said "Just wait till after Christmas, I'll fix him!"

#### FINEST EVER.

Does Jack send you good Christmas presents? The finest I ever exchanged.



### HIGH GRADE TIRES MADE IN LOCAL PLANT

#### Tire Co. Head Pays Torrance a Deserved Compliment

"Home of the Hendrie Tire", prominently displayed over the entrance to a large white manufacturing plant in Torrance is a landmark for visitors entering and leaving the city, and indicates that ideal working conditions here induced this eastern concern to locate in Torrance in preference to scores of other American manufacturing cities.

The selection of the site was made less than twelve months ago, and on May 1, 1922, the tire factory was in full swing, and now employs about fifty skilled mechanics and turns out about one hundred and fifty of the popular tires daily.

So great is the demand for the Hendrie goods, and so rapidly are they coming into favor with auto owners that the capacity of the plant will soon be increased to a daily output of from 200 to 250 finished tires, and an equal number of rubber tubes, while the payroll will be correspondingly increased by the employment of more men.

The factory is owned and controlled by Thropp Bros. of Trenton, N. J., who are widely known manufacturers of tire-making machinery, that is at present used by more than thirty tire and tube manufacturing concerns in this country.

In commenting on the company's prosperity and rapid growth, Mr. W. Baker, the plant's representative, said in part: "We feel at this Christmas time like congratulating ourselves on the remarkable and healthy growth of our business since last May, when we opened the factory. The demand for our goods has even surpassed our fondest expectations, and the future growth of the concern and the demand for our goods, that even now taxes our capacity, is assured."

"In congratulating ourselves a large measure of praise is due Torrance, where ideal working and living conditions makes for happiness and content among our employes, and is reflected in the high-class work they turn out."

Fred Collins of Detroit, Michigan, is a recent arrival at the McKinley Inn.

Mrs. May McKinley of the McKinley Inn will entertain her family with a turkey dinner Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kidder of the Castle Apts. entertained ten relatives Sunday at the McKinley Inn.

# The W. A. TEAGARDEN ORGANIZATION Wishes You a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year

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### U. S. C. TO BATTLE PENN STATE

The following tabulation shows the position, weight and ages of players of Penn State College and U. S. C. teams, East vs. West, who will battle for the national honor in football at Pasadena, New Year's Day, January 1, 1923 at the Tournament of Roses Stadium.

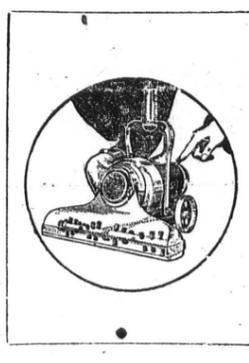
Those of you who will attend the game may keep this program for reference while the game is on. There may be some changes at the last moment, but those are the pick of the two squads:

Football Team of the University of Southern California				
No.	Name and Position.	Weight	Exper.	Age
1	Otto Anderson (half) (1)	150	0	20
2	Phil Tiernan (fullback)	152	1	22
3	Gordon Campbell (half) (1)	157	1	23
4	Hayden Phythian (end) (1)	165	0	20
5	Dick Emmons (end)	152	0	21
6	Elmer Wayahn (fullback)	154	0	23
7	Norman Anderson (tackle) (1)	198	0	20
8				
9	John Hilton (end) (1)	167	0	23
10	William Glenn (end)	146	0	23
11	Leo Calland (capt.) (guard) (1)	195	2	21
12	Howard Kincaid (half) (1)	172	2	23
14	Chester Dolly (quarter) (1)	159	1	21
15	Red Johnson (guard)	189	0	19
16	Eddie Leahy (half)	132	2	22
17	Winchell Boice (end)	164	0	20
18	John Riddle (half)	162	0	20
19	Holly Adams (center)	195	0	18
20	Wallace Newman (guard)	180	0	20
21	John Hawkins (tackle) (1)	170	0	20
22	George Freeman (tackle)	182	1	21
23	Reginald DuPuy (guard)	174	0	20
24	Harold Dougher (guard)	164	0	22
25	Lowell Lindley (center) (1)	171	2	23
27	Harold Galloway (fullback)	143	1	20
28	Jim Pursell (guard)	156	1	22
30	Ralph Cummings (tackle) (1)	184	1	21
32	Roy Baker (half) (1)	165	0	22
34	Horace Blair (tackle)	178	0	22

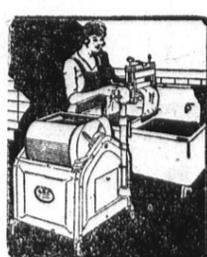
(1) Usual first string men.  
Head coach—Elmer C. Henderson (gloomy gus); assistant coaches—Bill Hunter, Bill Hess; advisory coach—"Cliff" Herd.

Penn State Football Squad, and Lineup—1922				
No.	Name and Position.	Class	Age	Weight
1	H. N. Bentz (capt.) (center)	'23	24	200
2	F. J. Bedenk (guard)	'24	23	183
3	J. McMahon (tackle)	'23	23	212
4	R. A. Hufford (end)	'23	24	177
5	J. C. Frank (end)	'24	21	168
7	L. H. Logue (tackle)	'23	23	175
8	W. Hamilton (guard)	'24	21	175
9	M. H. Palm (quarterback)	'24	22	165
10	H. D. Wilson (halfback)	'24	20	170
11	R. Carson (halfback)	'24	21	160
14	H. R. Johnson (tackle)	'24	22	200
15	M. B. Kerstetter (quarterback)	'25	19	163
16	T. W. Artelt (end)	'25	18	190
17	W. A. Shaner (fullback)	'25	20	175
18	E. B. Kratz (halfback)	'25	21	144
19	T. M. Murgay (center)	'24	22	204
20	J. S. Flock (guard)	'25	21	185
21	R. W. Armbruster (tackle)	'24	22	215
22	A. W. McCoy (end)	'25	22	165
24	J. R. Simmons (halfback)	'25	21	165
25	H. W. Gregory (halfback)	'25	20	170
26	W. Anderson (end)	'25	21	165
27	J. S. Bair (guard)	'23	21	205
28	H. D. Lafferty (halfback)	'24	20	155
29	T. Ellwood (guard)	'24	23	165
30	D. V. Feaster (fullback)	'24	23	175
32	J. A. Patton (halfback)	'24	21	155
33	J. V. Prevost (guard)	'25	20	170
35	B. W. Wentz (fullback)	'24	20	178

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